



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of:

LEBEL ET AL.

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Title: TRANSGENIC PLANTS EXPRESSING A
CELLULASE

Group Art Unit: 1638

Examiner: KUBELIK ANNE R

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 6, 2004, please take the following remarks and amendments into consideration and make them of record. Submitted herewith are 1) a Petition for an Extension of Time for two (2) months from October 6, 2004 up to and including December 6, 2004; 2) Corrected Figure 1; and 3) CAZy listing for Family GH9.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 50-1744 in the name of Syngenta Biotechnology Inc.